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Ms. Melissa Peacor
County Executive
Prince William County
1 County Complex Court
Woodbridge, VA 22192

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Re: Reissuance of VPDES Permit No. VA0086797
Prince William County Yard Waste Composting Facility, Prince William County

Dear Ms. Peacor:

The Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) has approved the enclosed effluent limitations and monitoring requirements for the above-referenced permit. Copies of your permit and fact sheet are enclosed.

A Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) form is no longer included in the reissuance package. The first electronic DMR submittal for monthly monitoring requirements is due by April 10, 2012. The first electronic DMR submittal for quarterly monitoring requirements is due by July 10, 2012. Please reference the effluent limits in your permit and report monitoring results in e-DMR to the same number of significant digits as are included in the permit limits for the parameter.

With this reissuance DEQ-NRO is launching a self-certification approach for O&M Manual approvals. We expect every permittee to self-certify their O&M Manual status as permits are reissued. The application for self-certification is enclosed. The application is to be signed and submitted by the permittee. This submission is due no later than May 14, 2012. Please note that DEQ staff maintains the ability to review and comment on the O&M Manual with inspections and to require updates to the O&M Manual as warranted.

As provided by Rule 2A:2 of the Supreme Court of Virginia, you have thirty days from the date of service (the date you actually received this decision or the date it was mailed to you, whichever occurred first) within which to appeal this decision by filing a notice of appeal in accordance with the Rules of the Supreme Court of Virginia with the Director, Department of Environmental Quality. In the event that this decision is served on you by mail, three days are added to that period.

Alternately, any owner under §§ 62.1-44.16, 62.1-44.17, and 62.1-44.19 of the State Water Control Law aggrieved by any action of the State Water Control Board taken without a formal hearing, or by inaction of the Board, may demand in writing a formal hearing of such owner's grievance, provided a petition requesting such hearing is filed with the Board. Said petition must meet the requirements set forth in §1.23(b) of the Board's Procedural Rule No. 1. In cases involving actions of the Board, such petition must be filed within thirty days after notice of such action is mailed to such owner by certified mail.

If you have questions about the permit, please contact Susan Mackert at (703) 583-3853, or by E-mail at susan.mackert@deq.virginia.gov.

Respectfully,



Bryant Thomas
Water Permits Manager

Enc.: Application for Operations and Maintenance Manual Approval
Permit for VA0086797
Fact Sheet for VA0086797

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